

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 4, lines 2-6, please delete this paragraph and substitute the following:

a2 A system for recording cinematographic film onto digital video tape is illustrated in *Figure 1*.

Cinematographic film stock 101, configured to be displayed at a rate of twenty-four frames per second is received by a film scanner 102, configured to generate high definition video signals at [[a]] an off-line speed less than the real-time display rate.

Page 8, lines 25-27, to page 9, lines 1-2, please delete this paragraph and substitute the following:

a3 The video tape edit is performed at step 507 by the new data overwriting an appropriate portion of the original data such that the modification is then included on the material held on the digital video tape, without requiring all of the material to be rescanned, ~~reprocess~~ reprocessed and then rewritten to video tape.

Page 12, lines 17-27, please delete this paragraph and substitute the following:

a4 At step 701 the new first format clip (inserted thirty frame per second video) is considered to identify a time-code for the start of the edit. At step 702, this time-code is compared with time-codes timed similarly to the "A" frame reference time-code to determine a start frame type. Thus, referring to *Figure 6*, the time-code of frame 623 is identified that in turn corresponds to a start frame type or BB* thereby making frame 603 a "B" frame. This [[is]] identifies the second format start frame type at step 702. Thus, at step 703, a determination is made as to what type of field edit is required. In this example, given that the edit starts on a B type frame, a first field edit type is required in order to effect the cut at the boundary between frames 622 and 623.